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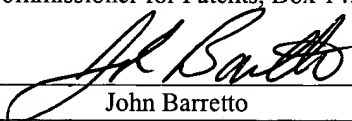
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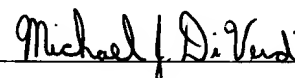
Sir:

Applicants hereby petition for a 1-month extension of time, from May 5, 2003 up to and including June 5, 2003, pursuant to 37 CFR 1.1.36(a) for filing a response to the mailed Office Action in the above-identified application. A check in the amount of \$55.00 for the extension is enclosed.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any under-payments or credit any overpayments to our Deposit Account No. 06-1448.

Respectfully Submitted,

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